वाले विभिन्न कुप्रभावों, जैसे कीटनाशियों की कीट प्रतिरोधी क्षमता, कीटों का फिर से पैदा हो जाना और कीटनाशियों से होने वाले जैव नियंत्रक एजेंटों के विनाश पर अनुसंधान कार्य चल रहे हैं। परिणामस्वरूप किसानों के लिए समेकित कीट प्रबंध की पद्धतियों की, जिसमें निरापद और चुनिंदा कीटनाशियों का प्रयोग करना भी शामिल है, अपनाने के लिए सिफारिश की जा रही है।

Establishment of ITDC Hotels in Goa

1252. SHRI JOHN F. FERNANDES: *Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased* to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that there are no ITDC Hotel establishments in Goa, despite it being the second best tourist spot in the country after J & K and in view of disturbed condition in the North, these hotels are running in losses; and

(b) if so, whether Government propose to establish such hotels in Goa to augment the losses in North India?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI USHA SINGH): (a) and (b) ITDC does not have at present any hotel establishment of its own in Goa. However, on 12 Feb., 90, ITDC has signed an agreement to be effective from 15 Fab., 90 with M/s Alcon Resorts Holdings Ltd.—a private company of Goa—to provide its marketing, consultancy and advisory services on fee basis for their beach resort of 171 rooms in Cavalossim, Goa.

The Draft Eighth Five Year Plan (1990-95) of ITDC does not envisage any scheme/provision for setting up hotel project in Goa.

Losses suffered by ITDC Hotels

1253. SHRI JOHN F. FERNANDES: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of huge losses suffered by ITDC hotels due to mismanagement compared to private hotels with similar facilities; and

(b) if so, in order to avoid further losses to the ITDCs whether Government propose to lease these ITDC hotels to private operaters for their better management for being better use to tourists in this year of Tourism Year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI USHA SINGH): (a) ITDC owns and operates 25 hotels in the country. During 1989-90, its hotels made an overall profit of about Rs. 6.45 crores.

(b) No Sir, in view of reply to part (a) above.

Schemes for students and artisans to stay at ITDC Hotels on concessional rates

1254. SHRI JOHN F. FERNANDES: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government has devised a policy to allow students and rural artisans to stay at selected ITDC Hotels in the country for nominal fee of Rs. 40 per room on four persons sharing basis; and

(b) if so, which are the ITDC Hotels identified for this scheme and when this programme would be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI USHA SINGH): (a) ITDC has floated a special low priced backage for students and farmers which allows a stay at concessional rates at several Ashok Group Hotels throughout the country with facility of in-expensive Thali meals. Under this package a group of minimum 8 students or farmers can form a group and avail accommodation at prices ranging from Rs. 40/- per person to Rs. 65/- per person per night at 30 locations in India subject to a maximum stay of 3 nights. This offer is based on minimum 4 persons sharing a room. The students or farmers require a letter of authority from their educational institution or local Panchayat Administration respectively. All taxes would be extra and his offer

is open from 1st March to 15th October, 1991. Bookings for this package can be made through any Ashok Network office or directly with the concerned Ashok Group Hotel.

(b) The scheme has come into effect from 1st March, 1991 and the Hotels identified are:—(1) Hotel Aurangabad Ashok (2) Hotel Agra Ashok (3) Hotel Karnavati, Ahmedabad (4) Hotel Ashok Bangalore (5) Hotel Lake view Ashok, Bhopal (6) Hotel Kalinga Ashok, Bhubaneshwar (7) Hotel Bodhgaya Ashok (8) Hotel Airport Ashok Calcutta (3) Bharatpur Forest Lodge (10) Lodhi, Ranjit & Ashok Yatri Niwas Delhi (11) Hotel Brahmaputra Ashok, Guwahati (12) Hotel Hassan Ashok (13) Hotel Jaipur Ashok (14) Hotel Jammu Ashok (15) Hotel Japfu Ashok Kohima (16) Hotel Khajuraho Ashok (17) Radisson Ashok Beach Resort Kovalam (18) Hotel Madurai Ashok (19) Tample Bay Ashok Beach Rasort, Mamallapuram (20) Hotel Moti Mahal, Mangalore (21) Hotel Rajam Nagercoil (22) Hotel Pataliputra Ashok, Patna (23) Hotel Nilachal Ashok, Puri (24) Hotel Pondicherry Ashok (25) Hotel Aasiana, Port Blair (26) Hotel Ranchi Ashok (27) Hotel Ganga Kinare, Rishikesh (28) Hotel National, Salem (29) Hotel Parisultam, Tanjore (30) Hotel Varnasi Ashok.

Establishment of New Tourism Circuits

1255. SHRI SURESH KALMADI: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) how many new tourism circuits have been opened in India during the year 1990; and

(b) how many of these new circuits cover places of tourist interest in Maharashtra?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI USHA SINGH): (a) and (b) As part of the programme for India Tourism Year, 1991, 18 new circuits have been identified to strengthen infrastructural facilities. These are extensions of the Established circuits. Of these, 11 cover places of tourist interest in Maharashtra.

Union in ITDC

1256. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the wage settlement signed with the unions in ITDC on the 5th March, 1990 for Hotel and Restaurant Employees has been fully implemented; if not, (i) the items remaining for implementation and (ii) the reasons for dealy and by which time it is likely to be implemented;

(b) when the next wage revision for Hotel and Restaurant Employees of ITDC is due;

(c) whether the Employees Unions have submitted new demands; and

(d) if so, the details and by when the negotiation on these demands are expected to start?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI USHA SINGH): (a) All the clauses in the wage Settlement pertaining to the revision of pay and allowances and other fringe benefits were fully implemented except two clauses pertaining to Cadre Review and Standardisation of House Rent Recovery. Action with regard to implementation of thes two clauses is in progress.

The above work involves data collection from 25 of ITDC's Hotels and Catering Units spread over the country and going into enormous details. The spade work has already been completed in respect of standaridisation of house rent. As regards the work relating to Cadre Review, the Sub-Committee constituted by ITDC Hotels Division it likely to complete the preliminary work relating to collection of data and formulation of preliminary report by the end of April 1991. This Report will then be examined by a Committee consisting of two representatives from the Management and one representative each from J.A.C. and INTUC Federation for finalisation of the said Report for impiementation.

(b) The next wage Revision in respect of Hotel Catering Establishment Employees is due from 1-10-1990.